Docket No.

0107-0974-3 REISSUE

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: ALFRED THIARD-LAFORET ET AL

GAU:

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SERIAL NO: 08/966,368

EXAMINER: PATEL, T.

FILED:

**NOVEMBER 7, 1997** 

THOD FOR REPAIRING A CONNECTING DEVICE FOR...

## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME **UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136**

OMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a three month extension of time be granted to August 6, 2001 for

- ☐ filing a response to the Official Action dated:
- responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- ☐ filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due

has been timely filed.

- responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due May 6, 2001

has not been filed.

- ☐ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$890.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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